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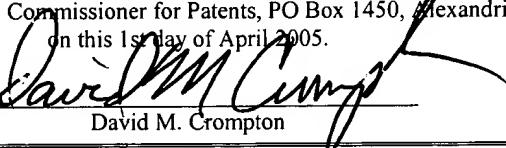
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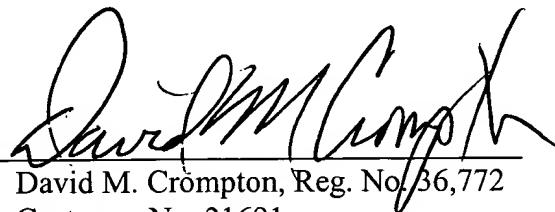
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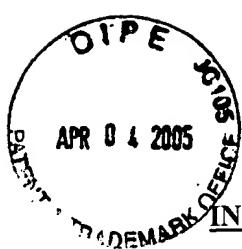
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Originally filed application at page 4, line 3

Amendment filed March 17, 2004 at page 2, replacement paragraph 2, line 1

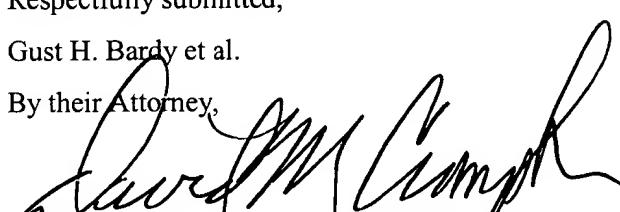
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 1

Line 63, delete "arrhythmia", and insert therefor -- arrhythmic --.

Column 9

Line 38, delete "LCD", insert therefor -- ICD --.

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